

Michigan Department of Treasury  
Office of Revenue and Tax Analysis  
PO Box 30722  
Lansing MI 48909

**RE: Compliance Form 4887 - Category 2 Consolidation of Services for Grand Blanc**

The Grand Blanc is pleased to submit form 4887 with the required documents per Public Act 59 Economic Vitality Incentive Program (EVIP) for category 2.

The Grand Blanc has chosen to track and display this data using Munetrix to make the information readily available to the public and other local units of government.

**Included with this letter are the required documents for Grand Blanc:**

- A listing of previous shared services or consolidations with the estimated cost savings these actions have generated.
- An update of our progress to last year's proposed collaboration
- A plan of one or more proposals to increase existing level of cooperation, collaboration, and consolidation, within the jurisdiction or with other jurisdictions
  - Includes an estimate of the potential savings for any new service or consolidations being planned
  - Includes a timeline we expect to work towards

The attached pages are drawn directly from the reporting feature in our Munetrix homepage. We will make copies available to the public when requested.

All documentation necessary to comply with the EVIP requirements are included with this letter, and we look forward to continue receiving these important funds from the State of Michigan.

Please contact me if you need any further information or clarification.

Sincerely,



Paul J. Brake  
City Manager

Michigan Department of Treasury  
(Recreated) 4887 (Rev 09-13)

### Economic Vitality Incentive Program/County Incentive Program Certification of Consolidation of Services


Issued under authority of 2013 Public Act 59. Filing is mandatory to qualify for payments.

Each city/village/township/county applying for Consolidation of Services payments must:

1. Certify to the Michigan Department of Treasury (Treasury) that the local unit listed below has produced and made readily available to the public, a Consolidation Plan as required by 2013 Public Act 59. The plan shall be made available for public viewing in the clerk's office or posted on a publicly accessible Internet site.
2. Submit to Treasury a Consolidation Plan.

**City/village/township:** This certification, along with a Consolidation Plan, **must be received by February 1, 2014** to receive the February and April payments or on or before March 31, 2014 to receive the April payment. Post mark dates will not be considered. For questions, call (517) 373-2697.

**County:** This certification, along with a Consolidation Plan, **must be received by February 1, 2014** (or the first day of a payment month) in order to qualify for that month's payment. Post mark dates will not be considered. For questions, call (517) 373-2697.

PART 1: LOCAL UNIT INFORMATION			
Local Unit Name <b>Grand Blanc</b>		Local Unit County Name <b>Genesee County</b>	
Local Unit Code <b>252060</b>		Contact E-Mail Address <b>citymanager@cityofgrandblanc.com</b>	
Contact Name <b>Paul J. Brake</b>	Contact Title <b>City Manager</b>	Contact Phone Number <b>810-694-1118</b>	Extension
Website Address, if reports are available online <b>http://munetrix.com/sections/data/municipal.php?MuniID=288&amp;Type=City</b>			
PART 2: CERTIFICATION			
<i>In accordance with 2013 Public Act 59, the undersigned hereby certifies to Treasury that the above mentioned local unit has produced a Consolidation Plan and has made them available for public viewing in the city, village, township, or county clerk's office or has posted them on a publicly accessible Internet site. The Consolidation Plan is attached to this signed certification.</i>			
Chief Administrative Officer Signature (as defined in MCL 141.422b) 		Printed Name of Chief Administrative Officer (as defined in MCL 141.422b) <b>Paul J. Brake</b>	
Title <b>City Manager</b>		Date <b>March 25, 2014</b>	

Completed and signed form (including required attachments) should be e-mailed to: **TreasRevenueSharing@michigan.gov**

If you are unable to submit via e-mail, fax to (517) 335-3298 or mail the completed form and required attachments to:

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Office of Revenue and Tax Analysis  
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EVIP/CIP	Certification Received	EVIP/CIP Notes
Y   N	Plan Received	
Final Certification	1st C/P Submission	
	Y   N	

## **Shared Services Plan**

**Summary of Shared Service Initiatives**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Purpose</b>	<b>Form</b>	<b>Scope</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Data Owner</b>	<b># of Partners</b>
Automation Alley	Economic Development	Independent Authority	Region	In Process	2014	Grand Blanc	21
Genesee County 2014 Pictometry and Orthoimagery Project	Information Technology	Individual Community Initiative	County	In Process	2013	Grand Blanc	30
Genesee County Criminal Justice System and Courts Electronic Workflow Initiative	Information Technology	Joint Venture	County	In Process	2013	Flint	6
Pawn Shop Reporting System	Public Safety	Joint Venture	County	Proposed	2014	Flint	30
Water Meter Read System	Water	Joint Venture	Region	Proposed	2014	Grand Blanc	3
Ads/Marketing - Farmers Market	Community Service	Individual Community Initiative	Region	Existing	2010	Grand Blanc	2
Assessing Services	Assessing	Contractual	External	Existing	2013	Grand Blanc	2
Auto Theft Investigation	Police	Joint Venture	County	Existing	2010	Grand Blanc	3
Beautification Projects	Community Service	Individual Community Initiative	County	Existing	2010	Grand Blanc	1
Central Dispatch	Public Safety	Independent Authority	County	Existing	1997	Grand Blanc	2
Co-Op Purchasing	Administration	Individual Community Initiative	Internal	Existing	2000	State Government	2
Co-Op Purchasing	Administration	Joint Venture	State	Existing	2000	Grand Blanc	1
Fatal Crash Investigation Team	Police	Individual Community Initiative	County	Existing	2000	Grand Blanc	3
Fire Apparatus Purchase	Fire	Joint Venture	State	Existing	2011	Grand Blanc	2
Fire Mutual Aid	Fire	Individual Community Initiative	County	Existing	1967	Grand Blanc	29
Genesee District Library - Genesee County and Grand Blanc Township	Library	Joint Venture	Region	Existing	1979	Grand Blanc	3

Grand Blanc Parks and Recreation - Grand Blanc Township and Grand Blanc Community Schools	Parks & Recreation	Independent Authority	Region	Existing	1970	Grand Blanc	3
HAZMAT Team	Public Safety	Individual Community Initiative	Region	Existing	2008	Grand Blanc	31
Internal Consolidation - City Clerk/Treasurer	Administration	Individual Community Initiative	Internal	Existing	2007	Grand Blanc	1
Internal Consolidation - Payroll Services/Time Sheet Services	Administration	Contractual	Internal	Existing	2012	Grand Blanc	1
Joint Elections	Administration	Individual Community Initiative	Region	Existing	2006	Grand Blanc	2
Joint Fire Department - Grand Blanc Township	Fire	Independent Authority	Region	Existing	1990	Grand Blanc	2
Joint Salt Purchase	Public Works	Individual Community Initiative	Region	Existing	2009	Grand Blanc	6
Liability Insurance Pool	Administration	Public Private Partnership	State	Existing	1981	Grand Blanc	1
Narcotics Investigation	Police	Independent Authority	Region	Existing	1990	Grand Blanc	4
Next Michigan Development Corporation I-69 International Trade Corridor	Economic Development	Joint Venture	Region	Existing	2011	Flint	35
Office Hours - LEIN	Public Safety	Joint Venture	County	Existing	1993	Grand Blanc	2
Police Department Vehicle Purchase	Police	Joint Venture	State	Existing	1990	Grand Blanc	2
Police Dog	Public Safety	Individual Community Initiative	Region	Existing	1995	Grand Blanc	6
Safe Routes to School	Parks & Recreation	Individual Community Initiative	Region	Existing	2007	Grand Blanc	3
Shared Fire Trainings	Fire	Individual Community Initiative	County	Existing	1997	Grand Blanc	32
Snow Removal and Plowing	Public Works	Individual Community Initiative	Region	Existing	2000	Grand Blanc	2

Tire Purchasing	Public Works	Individual Community Initiative	State	Existing	2000	Grand Blanc	2
Training Seminars	Police	Public Private Partnership	County	Existing	1980	Grand Blanc	30
Urban Search and Rescue	Public Safety	Individual Community Initiative	County	Existing	1998	Grand Blanc	7
Use of Farmers Market Equipment	Parks & Recreation	Independent Authority	Region	Existing	2008	Grand Blanc	1
Used Oil Disposal	Public Works	Individual Community Initiative	Region	Existing	1981	Grand Blanc	2
Worker's Compensation Insurance Pool	Administration	Public Private Partnership	State	Existing	1981	Grand Blanc	2
Youth Alcohol Enforcement	Police	Individual Community Initiative	Region	Existing	2009	Grand Blanc	2

### Shared Service - Automation Alley

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Independent Authority
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Economic Development
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	In Process
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2014
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	<a href="http://www.automationalley.com/">http://www.automationalley.com/</a>

**Description:**  
Automation Alley is a technology business association and business accelerator dedicated to growing the economy of Southeast Michigan and enhancing the region’s reputation around the world. Automation Alley offers talent and business development programs and services to tech-focused businesses of all sizes — from startups to large corporations — to help them grow and prosper.  
Since its founding in 1999, Automation Alley’s membership has grown to include nearly 1,000 businesses, educational institutions, government entities and nonprofit organizations from the city of Detroit and the surrounding eight-county region. Automation Alley provides a variety of exclusive benefits to its members to help them succeed, including networking opportunities, meeting space and public relations tools. Automation Alley also serves the general business community in four key areas: entrepreneurial services, talent development, international business services, and defense and manufacturing.  
Automation Alley collaborates with regional partners to provide its members and clients with the best business resources available, to drive local economic growth, and to positively influence the stories being told around the globe about the people and businesses of Greater Detroit.

**Mission**  
Automation Alley exists to grow the innovation cluster of Southeast Michigan. We believe in a bright technology future for our state that is innovation-led and driven by exporting. We create business development opportunities and results for our members and stakeholders who share our values. By helping our members achieve success, Automation Alley increases the quality of life in Michigan.

**Vision**  
Southeast Michigan will be globally acknowledged as the leading technology and innovation region in the United States by 2020.  
The City of Grand Blanc became a part of this association in 2014. The City plans to utilize the resources, expertise and knowledge in an effort to further economic development within the City of Grand Blanc. The City of Grand Blanc plans to continue to be a part of this association throughout 2014 and beyond.

### Partners for Automation Alley

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276	\$250	\$5,000
5 Townships			192,201	\$0	\$0
3 Countys			3,863,924	\$0	\$0
11 Citys			522,706	\$250	\$5,000
1 Villages			3,436	\$0	\$0
1 Not-for-Profits			0	\$0	\$0

### Timeline for Automation Alley

Name	Start Date	End Date
Join Association	12/01/2013	12/31/2013
Become an Active Member	01/01/2014	12/31/2014

### Shared Service - Genesee County 2014 Pictometry and Orthoimagery Project

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Information Technology
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	In Process
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2013
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	<a href="http://www.gc4me.com/departments/gis/projects.php">http://www.gc4me.com/departments/gis/projects.php</a>

**Description:**

In 2005, Genesee County built a partnership and coordinated a project with its local units of government to advance GIS throughout the



County, minimize the duplication of efforts, and bring significant benefit through increased cooperation and information sharing. More than 30 government agencies including Genesee County, the State of Michigan, and the USGS came together to fund a county-wide aerial photography and mapping software project that will put vital information in the hands of emergency workers, public service providers, and policy makers throughout the County. A project that could have cost Genesee County over \$275,000 is now being done for less than \$23,000. This joint effort will not only save Genesee County a lot of money, but will make GIS technology and information available to many local units of government that otherwise might not be able to afford it. This initiative, called the Genesee County Pictometry and Orthoimagery Project, combines a number of products and services to support



both development and deployment of geographic information across the County. In the spring of 2006, Pictometry International Corporation will capture both oblique (taken from an angle) and orthogonal (straight down view) high-resolution, true-color digital aerial photos for all of Genesee County. Images of every square foot of the County will be taken from multiple directions, providing complete views of every building, structure, road, and natural feature. All of the imagery will be useable through a number of GIS applications, including a lightweight software tool called Electronic Field Study, ArcMap, and ArcIMS. To meet the additional needs of GIS developers and planners, the orthogonal images captured by the vendor will be further processed, orthorectified, and certified by Sanborn Corporation to produce a traditional orthophoto product that meets or exceeds national map accuracy standards at a minimum scale of 1"=200'. The City of Grand Blanc was a part of this initiative as of 2013. The City of Grand Blanc will continue to be a part of this initiative as this is a great savings to the City of Grand Blanc.

### Partners for Genesee County 2014 Pictometry and Orthoimagery Project

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276	\$3,420	\$50,000
2 Villages			1,244	\$0	\$0
16 Townships			221,054	\$0	\$0
11 Cities			183,165	\$3,420	\$50,000



1 Countys			425,790	\$0	\$0
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**Timeline for Genesee County 2014 Pictometry and Orthoimagery Project**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Start Date</b>	<b>End Date</b>
Join Association	10/01/2013	10/31/2013
Become an Active Member	11/01/2013	12/31/2014

## Shared Service - Genesee County Criminal Justice System and Courts Electronic Workflow Initiative

<b>Owner:</b>	Flint
<b>Form:</b>	Joint Venture
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Information Technology
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	In Process
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2013
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	

### Description:

This process establishes an electronic workflow for documents between police agencies, prosecutor and district courts. An innovative API portal development with statewide model implications, would allow law enforcement agencies to communicate with each other, while maintaining current records systems.

The C-GAP funding was denied. The project has been revised to participation in a state-wide e-warrant to disposition project. Details and requirements for this participation are still being developed.

## Partners for Genesee County Criminal Justice System and Courts Electronic Workflow Initiative

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Flint	City	Genesee County	102,434		\$125,904
Genesee County	County	05 GLSPC	425,790		\$240,262
Flushing	City	Genesee County	8,389		\$4,828
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$4,665
Burton	City	Genesee County	29,999		\$31,470
Michigan State Police (MSP)	Not-for-Profit	Ingham County	0		\$467,791

## Timeline for Genesee County Criminal Justice System and Courts Electronic Workflow Initiative

Name	Start Date	End Date
Apply for C-GAP grant funding - Denied	12/03/2012	12/03/2012
Initiate with Flint, Genesee County Sheriff and Michigan State Police	05/01/2014	11/03/2014
Initiate with Prosecutor and 67th/68th District Court	10/01/2013	04/01/2014
Meet with State on project plan	01/16/2014	01/17/2014

### Shared Service - Pawn Shop Reporting System

<b>Owner:</b>	Flint
<b>Form:</b>	Joint Venture
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Public Safety
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	Proposed
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2014
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	

**Description:**  
 All pawn shops operating in Genesee County will be required to input each new item accepted for pawn into a web-based reporting program. The program will be accessible for viewing to all Genesee County law enforcement agencies.

This program will dramatically enhance burglary investigations across the County. Currently, pawn shop slips are manually entered into a "department only" reporting system. This manual operation is slow and ineffective.

### Partners for Pawn Shop Reporting System

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		
3 Villages			3,104	\$0	\$0
16 Townships			254,737	\$0	\$0
11 Citys			183,165	\$0	\$35,000

### Timeline for Pawn Shop Reporting System

Name	Start Date	End Date
Develop and accept ordinance requiring pawn shop participation	02/03/2014	05/15/2014
Select web-based reporting program	02/03/2014	03/03/2014
Install and Test Program	04/01/2014	05/01/2014
Implement County-wide	06/02/2014	08/04/2014

### Shared Service - Water Meter Read System

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Joint Venture
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Water
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Proposed
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2014
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	

**Description:**  
 The City is in the beginning phases of entering into a shared services agreement with Grand Blanc Township and Mundy Township on a water meter reading system. Provided by ETNA Supply and Sensus program called Flex Net Meter Read System, an antenna to be placed on Grand Blanc Township’s Baldwin Road Water Tower will pick up a signal on individual property owner’s water usage for all three communities. This automated system will eliminate the need for a manual meter reading by City public works employees and data input by the administrative staff. Currently, the only barrier to date for this project is a funding source. The City of Grand Blanc received notice that the project does qualify for funding under the DWRP loan category and can proceed with further plans to implement this project. Estimated cost savings: \$43,000.

### Partners for Water Meter Read System

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$43,000
Mundy	Township	Genesee County	15,082		
Grand Blanc	Township	Genesee County	37,508		

### Timeline for Water Meter Read System

Name	Start Date	End Date
Apply for Drinking Water Revolving Fund Green Grant	04/01/2013	04/30/2013
Await Grant Funding Announcement	08/01/2013	09/30/2013
Funding Approval	10/23/2013	12/18/2013
Engineering of Project	12/19/2013	08/31/2014

**Shared Service - Ads/Marketing - Farmers Market**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Community Service
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2010
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Ads/Marketing - Farmers Market**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$8,000
Grand Blanc Community Schools	District	Genesee ISD	8,744		

### Shared Service - Assessing Services

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Contractual
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Assessing
<b>Scope:</b>	External
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2013
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	

**Description:**  
 The City of Fenton has recently started providing tax assessment administration services for Grand Blanc. Fenton employs a state-certified assessor for performing annual assessments of property as required under state law. This service allows gaining the expertise of a full-time professional on part-time basis. This increases the likelihood of having a long-term continuity of staff over a period of time. No barriers exist or existed for implementation of the assessing services.

### Partners for Assessing Services

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$10,000
Fenton	City	Genesee County	11,756		

### Timeline for Assessing Services

Name	Start Date	End Date
Develop Request for Proposal	01/01/2013	01/31/2013
Await Response from City of Fenton	02/01/2013	05/31/2013
Shared Service Start	07/01/2013	03/24/2014

**Shared Service - Auto Theft Investigation**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Joint Venture
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Police
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2010
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Auto Theft Investigation**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$60,000
Genesee County	County	05 GLSPC	425,790		
Mundy	Township	Genesee County	15,082		

**Shared Service - Beautification Projects**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Community Service
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2010
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Beautification Projects**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$6,500



**Shared Service - Central Dispatch**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Independent Authority
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Public Safety
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1997
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	Genesee County 911 Consortium

**Partners for Central Dispatch**

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$100,000
Genesee County	County	05 GLSPC	425,790		

### Shared Service - Co-Op Purchasing

<b>Owner:</b>	State Government
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Administration
<b>Scope:</b>	Internal
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2000
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$10,000 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	With the State of Michigan

### Partners for Co-Op Purchasing

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
State Government	State	Michigan	0		\$10,000
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$10,000

### Shared Service - Co-Op Purchasing

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Joint Venture
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Administration
<b>Scope:</b>	State
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2000
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

### Partners for Co-Op Purchasing

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		

**Shared Service - Fatal Crash Investigation Team**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Police
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2000
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Fatal Crash Investigation Team**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$3,500
Grand Blanc	Township	Genesee County	37,508		
Genesee County	County	05 GLSPC	425,790		

**Shared Service - Fire Apparatus Purchase**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Joint Venture
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Fire
<b>Scope:</b>	State
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2011
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Fire Apparatus Purchase**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$10,000
Michigan	State	United States	9,883,635		

**Shared Service - Fire Mutual Aid**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Fire
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1967
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Fire Mutual Aid**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$50,000
2 Villages			2,724	\$0	\$0
17 Townships			255,297	\$0	\$0
10 Citys			177,992	\$0	\$50,000

**Shared Service - Genesee District Library - Genesee County and Grand Blanc Township**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Joint Venture
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Library
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1979
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	<a href="http://new.thegdl.org/branches/gb/index.php">http://new.thegdl.org/branches/gb/index.php</a>

**Description:**  
 The Genesee District Library has a long standing tradition of cooperation between Genesee County, Grand Blanc Township and the City of Grand Blanc. The establishment of the District Library started in 1979, but the Grand Blanc Library has had a longer presence in the community. The library was housed originally in the old Township office on Grand Blanc Road when it joined the county library system in 1967. The operations moved to its current location in August 1973 and it has operated as the McFarlen Library. This facility contains approximately 12,500 square feet, of which is owned jointly by the City of Grand Blanc and the Charter Township of Grand Blanc. In May 2011, voters in the Genesee District Library system approved an increase millage of .25 mills (in addition to the previously voted millage in the amount of 0.7481 mills approved in 2007) to allow operations to continue without significant further reductions in library services. Participation in the District Library has enabled the City to join in with the Township to operate a larger library complex with complete library services. The current appropriation, from the City, is \$33,860. The total cost savings is approximately \$250,000.

**Partners for Genesee District Library - Genesee County and Grand Blanc Township**

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276	\$33,860	\$250,000
Genesee County	County	05 GLSPC	425,790		
Grand Blanc	Township	Genesee County	37,508		

**Shared Service - Grand Blanc Parks and Recreation - Grand Blanc Township and Grand Blanc Community Schools**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Independent Authority
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Parks & Recreation
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1970
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	<a href="http://gbparks.com/">http://gbparks.com/</a>

**Description:**  
 In a cooperative effort in 1970, the City of Grand Blanc, Charter Township of Grand Blanc and the Grand Blanc Community Schools formed the Grand Blanc Parks and Recreation Commission. The purpose of the commission is to provide the represented community with a coordinated recreation system and to administer the parks and other facilities for both the active and passive recreation interest of the community.  
 The Commission operated as a part-time department until 1975, when it became a full-time operation. Since that time, the Parks and Recreation Department has grown to offering year-round programming that includes after school activities for K-12 grades. Programming is also offered for adults and senior citizens. During the summer months, hundreds of classes in different programs are offered for youth and adults in addition to numerous special events. The Parks and Recreation Commission is also responsible for operating and maintaining Creasey Bicentennial Recreation Complex and the Grand Blanc Senior Activity Center.  
 The commission allows the City the opportunity to leverage community funding to offer quality recreation and community enrichment programs. Each year the City appropriates approximately \$120,000. Estimated cost savings: \$300,000.

**Partners for Grand Blanc Parks and Recreation - Grand Blanc Township and Grand Blanc Community Schools**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276	\$120,000	\$300,000
Grand Blanc	Township	Genesee County	37,508		
Grand Blanc Community Schools	District	Genesee ISD	8,744		



**Shared Service - HAZMAT Team**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Public Safety
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2008
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for HAZMAT Team**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$50,000
3 Villages			3,104	\$0	\$0
17 Townships			242,635	\$0	\$0
11 Citys			183,165	\$0	\$50,000

**Shared Service - Internal Consolidation - City Clerk/Treasurer**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Administration
<b>Scope:</b>	Internal
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2007
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$20,000 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Internal Consolidation - City Clerk/Treasurer**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$20,000

**Shared Service - Internal Consolidation - Payroll Services/Time Sheet Services**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Contractual
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Administration
<b>Scope:</b>	Internal
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2012
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	

**Description:**  
 The City has secured payroll service/time sheet system from a private vendor. With the retirement of the Personnel Director, the position has been eliminated and the human resources duties be assumed by the Manager's Office. Estimated cost savings: \$60,000.  
 Timeline: February 2012 to present  
 Neither of these efforts has experienced any barriers of implementation. In FY 2015, the City will be moving back to internal payroll processing due to the external payroll processor's inability to coordinate payroll services with 24 hour municipal operations and inability to perform general ledger functions that coordinate with BS & A financial software.  
 In regards to the human resources functions, the City Manager has delegated the day to day processing to the City Clerk/Treasurer and Assistant City Manager/Finance Director. No barriers have been experienced. The employees and the administration feels this has been a positive move and has provided more specialized services to employees. The City has also worked closely with our health insurance planners to provide expertise in the Affordable Care Act reporting and filing requirements. This has been a great partnership. The health insurance planners also provide expertise in resolving employee claim issues and reimbursement problems.

**Partners for Internal Consolidation - Payroll Services/Time Sheet Services**

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$60,000

**Shared Service - Joint Elections**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Administration
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2006
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$1,000 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Joint Elections**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$1,000
Grand Blanc Community Schools	District	Genesee ISD	8,744		

**Shared Service - Joint Fire Department - Grand Blanc Township**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Independent Authority
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Fire
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1990
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	<a href="http://www.twp.grand-blanc.mi.us/Departments/Fire/Overview.html">http://www.twp.grand-blanc.mi.us/Departments/Fire/Overview.html</a>

**Description:**  
 The Grand Blanc Fire Department provides fire and rescue services for the City of Grand Blanc and Charter Township of Grand Blanc. The department is governed by a jointly appointed Fire Commission and this legislative body operates under the law known as the Police and Fire Protection Act 33 of 1951. The Commission was legally established on September 13, 1989, and began operations January 1, 1990.  
 Currently the department consists of 55 part-time fire fighters and 2 full-time employees. The cooperative agreement allows the City to maximize funding for fire and rescue services. Grand Blanc voters approved a ballot proposal, in November 2010, authorizing the funding at .5 mill to generate approximately \$103,000 annually. Estimated cost savings: \$100,000.

**Partners for Joint Fire Department - Grand Blanc Township**

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276	\$103,000	\$100,000
Grand Blanc	Township	Genesee County	37,508		

**Shared Service - Joint Salt Purchase**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Public Works
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2009
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Joint Salt Purchase**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$7,500
Flint	City	Genesee County	102,434		
Genesee County	County	05 GLSPC	425,790		
Burton	City	Genesee County	29,999		
Swartz Creek	City	Genesee County	5,758		
Grand Blanc	Township	Genesee County	37,508		

**Shared Service - Liability Insurance Pool**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Public Private Partnership
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Administration
<b>Scope:</b>	State
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1981
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	www.mml.org
<b>Description:</b>	Michigan Municipal League

**Partners for Liability Insurance Pool**

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$20,000

### Shared Service - Narcotics Investigation

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Independent Authority
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Police
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1990
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

### Partners for Narcotics Investigation

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$60,000
Mundy	Township	Genesee County	15,082		
Flint	Township	Genesee County	31,929		
Genesee County	County	05 GLSPC	425,790		



## Shared Service - Next Michigan Development Corporation I-69 International Trade Corridor

<b>Owner:</b>	Flint
<b>Form:</b>	Joint Venture
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Economic Development
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2011
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	<a href="http://www.i-69internationaltradecorridor.com/">http://www.i-69internationaltradecorridor.com/</a>

**Description:**

Our region is a strategic commercial gateway between the Midwestern United States and Ontario, Canada. Our four-county region offers unbeatable multi-modal transportation infrastructure with a wide range of distribution options.

The benefits of working with the Next Michigan Development I-69 International Trade Corridor are:

- Economic development focus
- Leveraging MEDC support and funding
- High-priority projects including marketing, business services, incentives
- Critical assistance from Prima Civitas

The advantages of Next Michigan Development I-69 International Trade Corridor are:

- Industry Clusters in Automotive, Defense, Medical Device, Green Technology and more
- Available Skilled Workforce
- Supportive and Engaged Education Providers
- Access to Critical Markets in Canada and Midwestern United States
- Two Foreign Trade Zones Available
- Low-cost, Incentivized Locations

The largest in the state of Michigan, the I-69 International Trade Corridor Next Michigan Development Corporation (NMDC) represents a significant regional partnership and offers economic incentives to existing and new businesses that utilize two or more forms of transportation to move their products and are located within the territory of the NMDC. Qualifying businesses can benefit from state and local incentives, including real and personal property tax abatements. In certain locations, businesses may receive approval for tax-free Renaissance Zones. The I-69 International Trade Corridor Next Michigan Development Corporation is comprised of four county governments and 31 local municipalities. The City of Grand Blanc plans to continue participation in this association.

## Partners for Next Michigan Development Corporation I-69 International Trade Corridor

Partner	Type	Lies Within	Population	Contribution	Savings
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276	\$3,000	\$25,000
6 Villages			6,473	\$0	\$0
4 Countys			747,797	\$0	\$0
13 Townships			178,598	\$0	\$0
12 Citys			223,100	\$3,000	\$25,000

**Shared Service - Office Hours - LEIN**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Joint Venture
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Public Safety
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1993
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Office Hours - LEIN**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$65,000
Genesee County	County	05 GLSPC	425,790		

**Shared Service - Police Department Vehicle Purchase**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Joint Venture
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Police
<b>Scope:</b>	State
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1990
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Police Department Vehicle Purchase**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$2,000
Michigan	State	United States	9,883,635		

**Shared Service - Police Dog**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Public Safety
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1995
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Police Dog**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$2,500
Grand Blanc	Township	Genesee County	37,508		
Mount Morris	Township	Genesee County	21,501		
Genesee County	County	05 GLSPC	425,790		
Swartz Creek	City	Genesee County	5,758		
Michigan	State	United States	9,883,635		

**Shared Service - Safe Routes to School**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Parks & Recreation
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2007
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Safe Routes to School**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276	\$30,000	\$66,000
Grand Blanc	Township	Genesee County	37,508		
Grand Blanc Community Schools	District	Genesee ISD	8,744		

**Shared Service - Shared Fire Trainings**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Fire
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1997
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Shared Fire Trainings**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$10,000
3 Villages			3,104	\$0	\$0
18 Townships			274,564	\$0	\$0
10 Citys			80,731	\$0	\$10,000
1 Countys			425,790	\$0	\$0

**Shared Service - Snow Removal and Plowing**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Public Works
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2000
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Snow Removal and Plowing**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$1,000
Grand Blanc	Township	Genesee County	37,508		

**Shared Service - Tire Purchasing**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Public Works
<b>Scope:</b>	State
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2000
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Tire Purchasing**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$1,000
Michigan	State	United States	9,883,635		



**Shared Service - Training Seminars**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Public Private Partnership
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Police
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1980
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	Law Enforcement Officers Training Resource Center

**Partners for Training Seminars**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$5,000
2 Villages			2,724	\$0	\$0
16 Townships			210,706	\$0	\$0
11 Citys			89,120	\$0	\$5,000
1 Countys			425,790	\$0	\$0

**Shared Service - Urban Search and Rescue**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Public Safety
<b>Scope:</b>	County
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1998
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Urban Search and Rescue**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$50,000
Genesee County	County	05 GLSPC	425,790		
Grand Blanc	Township	Genesee County	37,508		
Burton	City	Genesee County	29,999		
Fenton	Township	Genesee County	15,552		
Flint	Township	Genesee County	31,929		
Flint	Township	Genesee County	31,929		

**Shared Service - Use of Farmers Market Equipment**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Independent Authority
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Parks & Recreation
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2008
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	<a href="http://gbparks.com/">http://gbparks.com/</a>
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Use of Farmers Market Equipment**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$3,000

**Shared Service - Used Oil Disposal**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Public Works
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1981
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Used Oil Disposal**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$2,000
Grand Blanc Community Schools	District	Genesee ISD	8,744		

**Shared Service - Worker's Compensation Insurance Pool**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Public Private Partnership
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Administration
<b>Scope:</b>	State
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	1981
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$15,000 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	www.mml.org
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Worker's Compensation Insurance Pool**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$15,000
Michigan Mathematics and Science Academy	PSA	Oakland Schools	421		

**Shared Service - Youth Alcohol Enforcement**

<b>Owner:</b>	Grand Blanc
<b>Form:</b>	Individual Community Initiative
<b>Primary Purpose:</b>	Police
<b>Scope:</b>	Region
<b>Status:</b>	Existing
<b>Year Initiated:</b>	2009
<b>Revenues:</b>	\$0 (less partner contributions)
<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	

**Partners for Youth Alcohol Enforcement**

<b>Partner</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lies Within</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Savings</b>
Grand Blanc	City	Genesee County	8,276		\$2,000
Grand Blanc	Township	Genesee County	37,508		